

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Sameer S. Marathe	)	Art Unit: 3683
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Application No.: 10/670,857	)	Examiner: Christopher Schwartz
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Filed: September 25, 2003	)	
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Title: Apparatus and Method for Monitoring	)	
Braking System Pressure	)	
	)	Peoria, Illinois
Attorney Docket No.: 03-106	)	June 18, 2007
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**PETITION FOR FIVE MONTH EXTENSION OF THE PERIOD FOR FILING AN  
AMENDED APPEAL BRIEF**

A Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief was issued on December 18, 2006. A one (1) month reply period, expiring on January 18, 2007, was set for filing an Amended Appeal Brief. This reply period may be extended up to five months to June 18, 2007, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136.

Applicant respectfully petitions for a five month extension of the reply period, extending the reply period to June 18, 2007. In reply, an Amended Appeal Brief is being filed simultaneously with this petition. The fee for this petition should be withdrawn from the undersigned's deposit account no. 03-1129.

Any questions concerning this petition may be directed to the undersigned.

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